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The Senate met pursuant to adjournment.  
Honorable James "Pate" Philip, Wood Dale, Illinois, presiding.  
Prayer by Reverend Jonathan Grubbs, First Church of God,  
Springfield, Illinois.  
Senator Radogno led the Senate in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Senator Myers moved that reading and approval of the Journals of  
Wednesday, February 23, 2000 and Thursday, February 24, 2000 be  
postponed pending arrival of the printed Journals.  
The motion prevailed.

## **REPORTS RECEIVED**

The Secretary placed before the Senate the following reports:

The 2000 Educational Mandates Report submitted by the State Board of Education as required by 105 ILCS 5/2-3.104.

The Annual Report for the year ending June 30, 1999, submitted by the Illinois Sports Facilities Authority.

The foregoing reports were ordered received and placed on file in the Secretary's Office.

#### MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

A message from the House by

Mr. Rossi, Clerk:

Mr. President -- I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed a bill of the following title, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

##### HOUSE BILL NO. 709

A bill for AN ACT to amend the Illinois Public Aid Code by changing Sections 5-5 and 6-1.

Passed the House, February 24, 2000.

ANTHONY D. ROSSI, Clerk of the House

The foregoing **House Bill No. 709** was taken up, ordered printed and placed on first reading.

A message from the House by

Mr. Rossi, Clerk:

Mr. President -- I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

##### HOUSE BILL NO. 3111

A bill for AN ACT to amend the Sexually Violent Persons Commitment Act by changing Sections 25 and 65.

##### HOUSE BILL NO. 3465

A bill for AN ACT to amend the Criminal Code of 1961 by changing Section 26-4.

##### HOUSE BILL NO. 3469

A bill for AN ACT to amend the Freedom of Information Act.

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##### HOUSE BILL NO. 3485

A bill for AN ACT to amend the Abandoned Housing Rehabilitation Act.

##### HOUSE BILL NO. 3951

A bill for AN ACT to amend the Highway Advertising Control Act of 1971.

HOUSE BILL NO. 4029

A bill for AN ACT to amend the School Code by changing Section 10-17a.

HOUSE BILL NO. 4300

A bill for AN ACT in relation to child custody.

HOUSE BILL NO. 4347

A bill for AN ACT to amend the Illinois Pension Code by changing Sections 16-163 and 16-165.

HOUSE BILL NO. 4352

A bill for AN ACT to amend the Illinois Vehicle Code by changing Section 15-102.

Passed the House, February 24, 2000.

ANTHONY D. ROSSI, Clerk of the House

The foregoing **House Bills numbered 3111, 3465, 3469, 3485, 3951, 4029, 4300, 4347 and 4352** were taken up, ordered printed and placed on first reading.

A message from the House by

Mr. Rossi, Clerk:

Mr. President -- I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed bills of the following titles, in the passage of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE BILL NO. 3430

A bill for AN ACT in relation to hate crimes.

HOUSE BILL NO. 3988

A bill for AN ACT to amend certain Acts in relation to cemeteries and burial services.

HOUSE BILL NO. 4266

A bill for AN ACT in relation to adult education.

Passed the House, February 24, 2000.

ANTHONY D. ROSSI, Clerk of the House

The foregoing **House Bills numbered 3430, 3988 and 4266** were taken up, ordered printed and placed on first reading.

**READING BILLS FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
A FIRST TIME**

**House Bill No. 709**, sponsored by Senator Cronin was taken up, read by title a first time and referred to the Committee on Rules.

**House Bill No. 3465**, sponsored by Senator Dudycz was taken up, read by title a first time and referred to the Committee on Rules.

**House Bill No. 3469**, sponsored by Senator Roskam was taken up, read by title a first time and referred to the Committee on Rules.

**House Bill No. 3840**, sponsored by Senator Cronin was taken up,

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read by title a first time and referred to the Committee on Rules.

**House Bill No. 3981**, sponsored by Senator Lightford was taken up, read by title a first time and referred to the Committee on Rules.

**House Bill No. 3988**, sponsored by Senator Bowles was taken up, read by title a first time and referred to the Committee on Rules.

**House Bill No. 4093**, sponsored by Senator Karpiel was taken up, read by title a first time and referred to the Committee on Rules.

**House Bill No. 4341**, sponsored by Senator Geo-Karis was taken up, read by title a first time and referred to the Committee on Rules.

**House Bill No. 4043**, sponsored by Senator Parker was taken up, read by title a first time and referred to the Committee on Rules.

#### INTRODUCTION OF A BILL

**SENATE BILL NO. 1952.** Introduced by Senator Lauzen, a bill for AN ACT to amend the Illinois Lottery Law by changing Section 13 and adding Section 13.1.

The bill was taken up, read by title a first time, ordered printed and referred to the Committee on Rules.

At the hour of 9:15 o'clock a.m., Senator Dudycz presiding.

#### SENATE BILLS RECALLED

On motion of Senator W. Jones, **Senate Bill No. 1404** was recalled from the order of third reading to the order of second reading.

Senator W. Jones offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

#### AMENDMENT NO. 1

AMENDMENT NO. 1. Amend Senate Bill 1404 by replacing everything after the enacting clause with the following:

"Section 5. The Hearing Instrument Consumer Protection Act is amended by changing Sections 4, 7, 8, 11, 14, 15, and 16 as follows: (225 ILCS 50/4) (from Ch. 111, par. 7404)

Sec. 4. Disclosure; waiver; complaints; insurance. The hearing instrument dispenser shall give at no charge to every person fitted and sold a hearing instrument the "User Instructional Brochure", supplied by the hearing instrument manufacturer containing information required by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration.

Whenever a sale or service of one or more hearing instrument involving \$50 or more is made or contracted to be made, whether under a single contract or under multiple contracts, at the time of the transaction, the hearing instrument dispenser shall furnish the consumer with a fully completed receipt or contract pertaining to that transaction, in substantially the same language as that used in the oral presentation to the consumer. The receipt or contract

provided to the consumer shall contain the dispenser's name, license number, business address, business phone number, and signature; the name, address, and signature of the hearing instrument consumer; and the name and signature of the purchaser if the consumer and the purchaser are not the same; the hearing instrument manufacturer's name, and the model and serial numbers; the date of purchase; and the

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charges required to complete the terms of the sale fully and clearly stated. When the hearing instrument is delivered to the consumer or purchaser, the serial number shall be written on the original receipt or contract and a copy shall be given to the consumer or purchaser. If a used hearing instrument is sold, the receipt and the container thereof shall be clearly marked as "used" or "reconditioned", whichever is applicable, with terms of guarantee, if any.

All hearing instruments offered for sale must be accompanied by a 30-business day return privilege. The receipt or contract provided to the consumer shall state that the consumer has a right to return the hearing instrument for a refund within 30 business days of the date of delivery. If a nonrefundable dispensing fee or restocking fee, or both, will be withheld from the consumer in event of return, the terms must be clearly stated on the receipt or contract provided to the consumer.

A hearing instrument dispenser shall not sell a hearing instrument unless the prospective user has presented to the hearing instrument dispenser a written statement, signed by a licensed physician, which states that the patient's hearing loss has been medically evaluated and the patient is considered a candidate for a hearing instrument. The medical evaluation must have taken place within the 6 months immediately preceding the date of the sale of the hearing instrument to the prospective hearing instrument user. If the prospective hearing instrument user is 18 years of age or older, the hearing instrument dispenser may afford the prospective user an opportunity to waive the medical evaluation required by this Section, provided that the hearing instrument dispenser:

- (i) Informs the prospective user that the exercise of a waiver is not in the user's best health interest;
- (ii) Does not in any way actively encourage the prospective user to waive the medical evaluation; and
- (iii) Affords the prospective user the option to sign the following statement:

"I have been advised by .....(hearing instrument dispenser's name) that the Food and Drug Administration has determined that my best interest would be served if I had a medical evaluation by a licensed physician (preferably a physician who specializes in diseases of the ear) before purchasing a hearing instrument. I do not wish a medical evaluation before purchasing a hearing instrument."

The hearing instrument dispenser or his or her employer shall retain proof of the medical examination or the waiver for at least 3 years from the date of the sale.

If the parent or guardian of any individual under the age of 18

years is a member of any church or religious denomination, whose tenets and practices include reliance upon spiritual means through prayer alone and objects to medical treatment and so states in writing to the hearing instrument dispenser, such individual shall undergo a hearing examination as provided by this Section but no proof, ruling out any medically treatable problem causing hearing loss, shall be required.

All persons licensed under this Act shall have conspicuously displayed in their business establishment a sign indicating that formal complaints regarding hearing instrument goods or services may be made to the Department. Such sign shall give the address and telephone number of the Department. All persons purchasing hearing instruments shall be provided with a written statement indicating that formal complaints regarding hearing instrument goods or services may be made to the Department and disclosing the address and

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telephone number of the Department.

Any person wishing to make a complaint, against a hearing instrument dispenser under this Act, shall file it with the Department within 3 years from the date of the action upon which the complaint is based. The Department shall investigate all such complaints.

All persons licensed under this Act shall maintain liability insurance as set forth by rule and shall be responsible for the annual calibration of all audiometers in use by such persons. Such annual calibrations shall be in conformance with the current standards set by American National Standard Institute.

(Source: P.A. 89-72, eff. 12-31-95.)

(225 ILCS 50/7) (from Ch. 111, par. 7407)

Sec. 7. Exemptions.

(a) The following are exempt from this Act:

(1) Licensed physicians. This exemption, however, does not apply to a physician's employee or subcontractor who is not a physician.

(2) Persons who only repair or manufacture hearing instruments and their accessories for wholesale.

(3) Audiologists licensed under the Illinois Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology Practice Act.

(b) Audiometers used by persons exempt from this Act to dispense hearing instruments must meet the annual calibration requirements and current standards set by the American National Standards Institute.

(Source: P.A. 89-72, eff. 12-31-95.)

(225 ILCS 50/8) (from Ch. 111, par. 7408)

Sec. 8. Applicant qualifications; examination.

(a) In order to protect persons with hearing impairments, the Department shall authorize or shall conduct an appropriate examination for persons who dispense, test, select, recommend, fit, or service hearing instruments. The frequency of holding these examinations shall be determined by the Department by rule. Those who successfully pass such an examination shall be issued a license as a hearing instrument dispenser, which shall be effective for a 2-year period.

(b) Applicants shall be:

- (1) at least 18 years of age;
- (2) of good moral character;
- (3) a high school graduate or the equivalent;
- (4) free of contagious or infectious disease; and
- (5) a citizen or person who has the status as a legal alien.

Felony convictions of the applicant and findings against the applicant involving matters set forth in Sections 17 and 18 shall be considered in determining moral character, but such a conviction or finding shall not make an applicant ineligible to register for examination.

(c) Prior to engaging in the practice of fitting, dispensing, or servicing hearing instruments, an applicant shall demonstrate, by means of written and practical examinations, that such person is qualified to practice the testing, selecting, recommending, fitting, selling, or servicing of hearing instruments as defined in this Act. An applicant who fails to obtain a license within 12 months after passing both the written and practical examinations must take and pass those examinations again in order to be eligible to receive a license. ~~An applicant who is a licensed audiologist shall take the practical examination, but is not required to take the written examination to qualify for a license.~~

The Department shall, by rule, determine the conditions under

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which an individual is examined.

(d) Proof of having met the minimum requirements of continuing education as determined by the Board shall be required of all license renewals. Pursuant to rule, the continuing education requirements may, upon petition to the Board, be waived in whole or in part if the hearing instrument dispenser can demonstrate that he or she served in the Coast Guard or Armed Forces, had an extreme hardship, or obtained his or her license by examination or endorsement within the preceding renewal period.

(e) Beginning January 1, 2001, persons applying for an initial license must demonstrate having earned an associate degree or its equivalent from an accredited institution of higher education and meet the other requirements of this Section. In addition, the applicant must demonstrate the successful completion of 12 semester hours or 18 quarter hours of academic undergraduate course work in an accredited institution consisting of 3 semester hours of anatomy and physiology of the speech and hearing mechanism, 3 semester hours of hearing science, 3 semester hours of introduction to audiology, and 3 semester hours of aural rehabilitation, or the quarter hour equivalent. Persons licensed before January 1, 2001 who have a valid license on that date may have their license renewed without meeting the requirements of this subsection.

(Source: P.A. 89-72, eff. 12-31-95.)

(225 ILCS 50/11) (from Ch. 111, par. 7411)

Sec. 11. Graduate audiology students.

Full-time graduate students enrolled in a program of audiology in an accredited college or university may engage in the dispensing of

hearing instruments as a part of a program of audiology without a license under the supervision of a licensed audiologist ~~hearing instrument dispenser~~.

The supervisor and the supervisor's employer shall be jointly and severally liable for any acts of the student relating to the practice of fitting or dispensing hearing instruments as defined in this Act and the rules promulgated hereunder.

(Source: P.A. 89-72, eff. 12-95-31.)

(225 ILCS 50/14) (from Ch. 111, par. 7414)

Sec. 14. Powers and duties of the Department. The powers and duties of the Department are:

(a) To issue licenses and to administer examinations to applicants;

(b) To license persons who are qualified to engage in the testing, recommending, fitting, selling, and dispensing of hearing instruments;

(c) To provide the equipment and facilities necessary for the examination;

(d) To issue and to renew licenses;

(e) To suspend or revoke licenses or to take such other disciplinary action as provided in this Act;

(f) To consider all recommendations and requests of the Board and to inform it of all actions of the Department insofar as hearing instrument dispensers are concerned, including any instances where the actions of the Department are contrary to the recommendations of the Board;

(g) To promulgate rules necessary to implement this Act;

(h) (Blank) ~~To subject the supervisor of a graduate audiology student to such discipline as provided in this Act for any violations made by the graduate audiology student;~~ and

(i) To conduct such consumer education programs and awareness programs for persons with a hearing impairment as may be recommended by the Board.

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(Source: P.A. 89-72, eff. 12-31-95; 89-626, eff. 8-9-96.)

(225 ILCS 50/15) (from Ch. 111, par. 7415)

Sec. 15. Fees.

(a) The following are fees to be charged and are not refundable:

(1) The fee for application for a license is \$40 ~~\$35~~.

(2) In addition to the application fee, applicants for any examination shall be required to pay, either to the Department or to the designated testing service, a fee covering the actual cost of the examination. Failure to appear for the examination on the scheduled date, at the time and place specified, after the applicant's application and fee for the examination has been received and acknowledged by the Department or the designated testing service, shall result in the forfeiture of the fee.

(3) The fee for a license shall be \$115 ~~\$40~~ per 2 year licensure period.

(4) The fee for the reinstatement of a license which has been expired for more than 90 days but less than 2 years is \$50 plus payment of all lapsed renewal and late fees.



(5) The fee for the restoration of a license which has been expired for more than 2 years is \$100 plus payment of all lapsed renewal and late fees.

(6) The fee for the issuance of a duplicate license, for the issuance of a replacement license which has been lost or destroyed or for the issuance of a license with a change of name or address is \$10. No fee is required for name and address changes on Department records when no duplicate license is issued.

(7) The fee for a licensee's record for any purpose is \$10.

(8) The fee to have the scoring of an examination administered by the Department reviewed and verified is \$10, plus any fee charged by the testing service.

(9) The fee for a wall license shall be the actual cost of such license.

(10) The fee for a roster of persons licensed as hearing instrument dispensers shall be the actual cost of such roster.

(11) The annual fee for any organization registered pursuant to Section 6 is \$100. Such fee is in addition to all other fees imposed under this Act.

(12) A late fee, which shall be in the same amount as the license renewal fee, shall be charged to a dispenser whose license renewal fee is received by the Department after the expiration date of the license.

(13) Sponsors of continuing education courses shall provide such information as may be required by rule and shall pay a fee of \$150 per course. However, courses certified or approved for continuing education by the International Hearing Aid Society, the American Academy of Audiology, the Academy of Dispensing Audiologists, the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association, or any other national organization approved by the Board shall be exempt from such fee and compliance with such course filing requirements as specified by rule.

(b) The moneys received as fees and fines by the Department under this Act shall be deposited in the Hearing Instrument Dispenser Examining and Disciplinary Fund, which is hereby created as a special fund in the State Treasury, and shall be used only for the administration and enforcement of this Act, including: (1) costs directly related to licensing of persons under this Act; and (2) by the Board in the exercise of its powers and performance of its duties, and such use shall be made by the Department with full consideration of all recommendations of the Board.

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All moneys deposited in the Fund shall be appropriated to the Department for expenses of the Department and the Board in the administration and enforcement of this Act.

Moneys in the Fund may be invested and reinvested, with all earnings deposited in the Fund and used for the purposes set forth in this Act.

Upon the completion of any audit of the Department as prescribed by the Illinois State Auditing Act, which audit shall include an audit of the Fund, the Department shall make a copy of the audit open

to inspection by any interested person, which copy shall be submitted to the Department by the Auditor General, in addition to the copies of audit reports required to be submitted to other State officers and agencies by Section 3-14 of the Illinois State Auditing Act.

(Source: P.A. 89-72, eff. 12-31-95.)

(225 ILCS 50/16) (from Ch. 111, par. 7416)

Sec. 16. Hearing Instrument Consumer Protection Board. There shall be established a Hearing Instrument Consumer Protection Board which shall assist, advise and make recommendations to the Department.

The Board shall consist of 6 ~~5~~ members who shall be residents of Illinois. One shall be a licensed physician who specializes in otology or otolaryngology; one shall be a member of a consumer-oriented organization concerned with the hearing impaired; one shall be from the general public, preferably a senior citizen; and 3 ~~2~~ shall be licensed hearing instrument dispensers who are- ~~Each hearing instrument dispenser shall have at least 5 years of experience. One of the hearing instrument dispensers shall be a Licensed Audiologist and the other shall be a National Board Certified Hearing Instrument Specialists, one of whom is a licensed audiologist Specialist. If a vote of the Board results in a tie, the~~ Director shall cast the deciding vote.

Members of the Board shall be appointed by the Director after consultation with appropriate professional organizations and consumer groups. The term of office of each shall be 4 years. Before a member's term expires, the Director shall appoint a successor to assume member's duties at the expiration of his or her predecessor's term. A vacancy shall be filled by appointment for the unexpired term. The members shall annually designate one member as chairman. No member of the Board who has served 2 successive, full terms may be reappointed. The Director may remove members for good cause.

Members of the Board shall receive reimbursement for actual and necessary travel and for other expenses, not to exceed the limit established by the Department.

(Source: P.A. 89-72, eff. 12-31-95.)

Section 10. The Illinois Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology Practice Act is amended by changing Sections 4, 14, and 14.5 and by adding Section 7.1 as follows:

(225 ILCS 110/4) (from Ch. 111, par. 7904)

Sec. 4. Powers and duties of the Department. Subject to the provisions of this Act, the Department shall exercise the following functions, powers and duties:

(a) Conduct or authorize examinations to ascertain the fitness and qualifications of applicants for license and issue licenses to those who are found to be fit and qualified.

(b) Prescribe rules and regulations for a method of examination of candidates.

(c) Prescribe rules and regulations defining what shall constitute an approved school, college or department of a university, except that no school, college or department of a university that refuses admittance to applicants solely on account of race, color,

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creed, sex or national origin shall be approved.

(d) Conduct hearings on proceedings to revoke, suspend, or refusal to issue such licenses.

(e) Promulgate rules and regulations required for the administration of this Act.

(f) Discipline the supervisor of a graduate audiology student as provided in this Act for a violation by the graduate audiology student.

(g) Enforce the provisions of the Hearing Instrument Consumer Protection Act and rules promulgated under the Act as that Act and those rules apply to licensed audiologists regulated by the Department.

(Source: P.A. 85-1391.)

(225 ILCS 110/7.1 new)

Sec. 7.1. Graduate audiology students. Full-time graduate students enrolled in a program of audiology in an accredited college or university may engage in the dispensing of hearing instruments as a part of a program of audiology without a license under the supervision of an audiologist licensed under this Act.

The supervisor and the supervisor's employer shall be jointly and severally liable for any acts of the student relating to the practice of fitting or dispensing hearing instruments as defined in the rules promulgated under this Act.

(225 ILCS 110/14) (from Ch. 111, par. 7914)

Sec. 14. Fees.

(a) The Department shall provide by rule for a schedule of fees to be paid for licenses by all applicants. The Department shall consult with the Board and consider its recommendations when establishing the schedule of fees and any increase in fees to be paid by license applicants.

(b) Except as provided in subsection (c) below, the fees for the administration and enforcement of this Act, including but not limited to original licensure, renewal, and restoration, shall be set by rule and shall be nonrefundable.

(b-5) In addition to any fees set by the Department through administrative rule, the Department shall, at the time of licensure and renewal, collect from each licensed audiologist a Hearing Instrument Consumer Protection Fee of \$45.

(c) Applicants for examination shall be required to pay, either to the Department or the designated testing service, a fee covering the cost of initial screening to determine eligibility and to provide the examination. Failure to appear for the examination on the scheduled date at the time and place specified, after the application for examination has been received and acknowledged by the Department or the designated testing service, shall result in the forfeiture of the examination fee.

(Source: P.A. 90-69, eff. 7-8-97.)

(225 ILCS 110/14.5)

Sec. 14.5. Deposit of fees and fines. Beginning July 1, 1995, all of the fees and fines collected under this Act shall be deposited into the General Professions Dedicated Fund, with the exception of the Hearing Instrument Consumer Protection Fee provided for in subsection (b-5) of Section 14, which shall be deposited into the Hearing Instrument Dispenser Licensing and Discipline Fund administered by the Department of Public Health.

(Source: P.A. 88-683, eff. 1-24-95.)

Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect on January 1,

2001.".

The motion prevailed.

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And the amendment was adopted and ordered printed.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing Amendment No. 1 was ordered engrossed; and the bill, as amended, was ordered to a third reading.

On motion of Senator Radogno, **Senate Bill No. 1453** was recalled from the order of third reading to the order of second reading.

Senator Radogno offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

AMENDMENT NO. 1. Amend Senate Bill 1453 be replacing everything after the enacting clause with the following:

"Section 5. The Use Tax Act is amended by changing Section 9 as follows:

(35 ILCS 105/9) (from Ch. 120, par. 439.9)

Sec. 9. Except as to motor vehicles, watercraft, aircraft, and trailers that are required to be registered with an agency of this State, each retailer required or authorized to collect the tax imposed by this Act shall pay to the Department the amount of such tax (except as otherwise provided) at the time when he is required to file his return for the period during which such tax was collected, less a discount of 2.1% prior to January 1, 1990, and 1.75% on and after January 1, 1990, or \$5 per calendar year, whichever is greater, which is allowed to reimburse the retailer for expenses incurred in collecting the tax, keeping records, preparing and filing returns, remitting the tax and supplying data to the Department on request. In the case of retailers who report and pay the tax on a transaction by transaction basis, as provided in this Section, such discount shall be taken with each such tax remittance instead of when such retailer files his periodic return. A retailer need not remit that part of any tax collected by him to the extent that he is required to remit and does remit the tax imposed by the Retailers' Occupation Tax Act, with respect to the sale of the same property.

Where such tangible personal property is sold under a conditional sales contract, or under any other form of sale wherein the payment of the principal sum, or a part thereof, is extended beyond the close of the period for which the return is filed, the retailer, in collecting the tax (except as to motor vehicles, watercraft, aircraft, and trailers that are required to be registered with an agency of this State), may collect for each tax return period, only the tax applicable to that part of the selling price actually received during such tax return period.

Except as provided in this Section, on or before the twentieth day of each calendar month, such retailer shall file a return for the preceding calendar month. Such return shall be filed on forms prescribed by the Department and shall furnish such information as the Department may reasonably require.

The Department may require returns to be filed on a quarterly basis. If so required, a return for each calendar quarter shall be filed on or before the twentieth day of the calendar month following the end of such calendar quarter. The taxpayer shall also file a return with the Department for each of the first two months of each calendar quarter, on or before the twentieth day of the following calendar month, stating:

1. The name of the seller;
2. The address of the principal place of business from which he engages in the business of selling tangible personal property at retail in this State;
3. The total amount of taxable receipts received by him

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during the preceding calendar month from sales of tangible personal property by him during such preceding calendar month, including receipts from charge and time sales, but less all deductions allowed by law;

4. The amount of credit provided in Section 2d of this Act;
5. The amount of tax due;
- 5-5. The signature of the taxpayer; and
6. Such other reasonable information as the Department may require.

If a taxpayer fails to sign a return within 30 days after the proper notice and demand for signature by the Department, the return shall be considered valid and any amount shown to be due on the return shall be deemed assessed.

Beginning October 1, 1993, a taxpayer who has an average monthly tax liability of \$150,000 or more shall make all payments required by rules of the Department by electronic funds transfer. Beginning October 1, 1994, a taxpayer who has an average monthly tax liability of \$100,000 or more shall make all payments required by rules of the Department by electronic funds transfer. Beginning October 1, 1995, a taxpayer who has an average monthly tax liability of \$50,000 or more shall make all payments required by rules of the Department by electronic funds transfer. Beginning October 1, 2000, a taxpayer who has an annual tax liability of \$200,000 or more shall make all payments required by rules of the Department by electronic funds transfer. The term "annual tax liability" shall be the sum of the taxpayer's liabilities under this Act, and under all other State and local occupation and use tax laws administered by the Department, for the immediately preceding calendar year. The term "average monthly tax liability" means the sum of the taxpayer's liabilities under this Act, and under all other State and local occupation and use tax laws administered by the Department, for the immediately preceding calendar year divided by 12.

Before August 1 of each year beginning in 1993, the Department shall notify all taxpayers required to make payments by electronic funds transfer. All taxpayers required to make payments by electronic funds transfer shall make those payments for a minimum of one year beginning on October 1.

Any taxpayer not required to make payments by electronic funds transfer may make payments by electronic funds transfer with the

permission of the Department.

All taxpayers required to make payment by electronic funds transfer and any taxpayers authorized to voluntarily make payments by electronic funds transfer shall make those payments in the manner authorized by the Department.

The Department shall adopt such rules as are necessary to effectuate a program of electronic funds transfer and the requirements of this Section.

Before October 1, 2000, if the taxpayer's average monthly tax liability to the Department under this Act, the Retailers' Occupation Tax Act, the Service Occupation Tax Act, the Service Use Tax Act was \$10,000 or more during the preceding 4 complete calendar quarters, he shall file a return with the Department each month by the 20th day of the month next following the month during which such tax liability is incurred and shall make payments to the Department on or before the 7th, 15th, 22nd and last day of the month during which such liability is incurred. On and after October 1, 2000, if the taxpayer's average monthly tax liability to the Department under this Act, the Retailers' Occupation Tax Act, the Service Occupation Tax Act, and the Service Use Tax Act was \$20,000 or more during the preceding 4 complete calendar quarters, he shall file a return with the

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Department each month by the 20th day of the month next following the month during which such tax liability is incurred and shall make payment to the Department on or before the 7th, 15th, 22nd and last day of ~~or~~ the month during which such liability is incurred. If the month during which such tax liability is incurred began prior to January 1, 1985, each payment shall be in an amount equal to 1/4 of the taxpayer's actual liability for the month or an amount set by the Department not to exceed 1/4 of the average monthly liability of the taxpayer to the Department for the preceding 4 complete calendar quarters (excluding the month of highest liability and the month of lowest liability in such 4 quarter period). If the month during which such tax liability is incurred begins on or after January 1, 1985, and prior to January 1, 1987, each payment shall be in an amount equal to 22.5% of the taxpayer's actual liability for the month or 27.5% of the taxpayer's liability for the same calendar month of the preceding year. If the month during which such tax liability is incurred begins on or after January 1, 1987, and prior to January 1, 1988, each payment shall be in an amount equal to 22.5% of the taxpayer's actual liability for the month or 26.25% of the taxpayer's liability for the same calendar month of the preceding year. If the month during which such tax liability is incurred begins on or after January 1, 1988, and prior to January 1, 1989, or begins on or after January 1, 1996, each payment shall be in an amount equal to 22.5% of the taxpayer's actual liability for the month or 25% of the taxpayer's liability for the same calendar month of the preceding year. If the month during which such tax liability is incurred begins on or after January 1, 1989, and prior to January 1, 1996, each payment shall be in an amount equal to 22.5% of the taxpayer's actual liability for the month or 25% of the taxpayer's liability for the same calendar month of the preceding year or 100%

of the taxpayer's actual liability for the quarter monthly reporting period. The amount of such quarter monthly payments shall be credited against the final tax liability of the taxpayer's return for that month. Before October 1, 2000, once applicable, the requirement of the making of quarter monthly payments to the Department shall continue until such taxpayer's average monthly liability to the Department during the preceding 4 complete calendar quarters (excluding the month of highest liability and the month of lowest liability) is less than \$9,000, or until such taxpayer's average monthly liability to the Department as computed for each calendar quarter of the 4 preceding complete calendar quarter period is less than \$10,000. However, if a taxpayer can show the Department that a substantial change in the taxpayer's business has occurred which causes the taxpayer to anticipate that his average monthly tax liability for the reasonably foreseeable future will fall below the \$10,000 threshold stated above, then such taxpayer may petition the Department for change in such taxpayer's reporting status. On and after October 1, 2000, once applicable, the requirement of the making of quarter monthly payments to the Department shall continue until such taxpayer's average monthly liability to the Department during the preceding 4 complete calendar quarters (excluding the month of highest liability and the month of lowest liability) is less than \$19,000 or until such taxpayer's average monthly liability to the Department as computed for each calendar quarter of the 4 preceding complete calendar quarter period is less than \$20,000. However, if a taxpayer can show the Department that a substantial change in the taxpayer's business has occurred which causes the taxpayer to anticipate that his average monthly tax liability for the reasonably foreseeable future will fall below the \$20,000 threshold stated above, then such taxpayer may petition the Department for a change in

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such taxpayer's reporting status. The Department shall change such taxpayer's reporting status unless it finds that such change is seasonal in nature and not likely to be long term. If any such quarter monthly payment is not paid at the time or in the amount required by this Section, then the taxpayer shall be liable for penalties and interest on the difference between the minimum amount due and the amount of such quarter monthly payment actually and timely paid, except insofar as the taxpayer has previously made payments for that month to the Department in excess of the minimum payments previously due as provided in this Section. The Department shall make reasonable rules and regulations to govern the quarter monthly payment amount and quarter monthly payment dates for taxpayers who file on other than a calendar monthly basis.

If any such payment provided for in this Section exceeds the taxpayer's liabilities under this Act, the Retailers' Occupation Tax Act, the Service Occupation Tax Act and the Service Use Tax Act, as shown by an original monthly return, the Department shall issue to the taxpayer a credit memorandum no later than 30 days after the date of payment, which memorandum may be submitted by the taxpayer to the Department in payment of tax liability subsequently to be remitted by the taxpayer to the Department or be assigned by the taxpayer to a

similar taxpayer under this Act, the Retailers' Occupation Tax Act, the Service Occupation Tax Act or the Service Use Tax Act, in accordance with reasonable rules and regulations to be prescribed by the Department, except that if such excess payment is shown on an original monthly return and is made after December 31, 1986, no credit memorandum shall be issued, unless requested by the taxpayer. If no such request is made, the taxpayer may credit such excess payment against tax liability subsequently to be remitted by the taxpayer to the Department under this Act, the Retailers' Occupation Tax Act, the Service Occupation Tax Act or the Service Use Tax Act, in accordance with reasonable rules and regulations prescribed by the Department. If the Department subsequently determines that all or any part of the credit taken was not actually due to the taxpayer, the taxpayer's 2.1% or 1.75% vendor's discount shall be reduced by 2.1% or 1.75% of the difference between the credit taken and that actually due, and the taxpayer shall be liable for penalties and interest on such difference.

If the retailer is otherwise required to file a monthly return and if the retailer's average monthly tax liability to the Department does not exceed \$200, the Department may authorize his returns to be filed on a quarter annual basis, with the return for January, February, and March of a given year being due by April 20 of such year; with the return for April, May and June of a given year being due by July 20 of such year; with the return for July, August and September of a given year being due by October 20 of such year, and with the return for October, November and December of a given year being due by January 20 of the following year.

If the retailer is otherwise required to file a monthly or quarterly return and if the retailer's average monthly tax liability to the Department does not exceed \$50, the Department may authorize his returns to be filed on an annual basis, with the return for a given year being due by January 20 of the following year.

Such quarter annual and annual returns, as to form and substance, shall be subject to the same requirements as monthly returns.

Notwithstanding any other provision in this Act concerning the time within which a retailer may file his return, in the case of any retailer who ceases to engage in a kind of business which makes him responsible for filing returns under this Act, such retailer shall file a final return under this Act with the Department not more than

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one month after discontinuing such business.

In addition, with respect to motor vehicles, watercraft, aircraft, and trailers that are required to be registered with an agency of this State, every retailer selling this kind of tangible personal property shall file, with the Department, upon a form to be prescribed and supplied by the Department, a separate return for each such item of tangible personal property which the retailer sells, except that where, in the same transaction, a retailer of aircraft, watercraft, motor vehicles or trailers transfers more than one aircraft, watercraft, motor vehicle or trailer to another aircraft, watercraft, motor vehicle or trailer retailer for the purpose of resale, that seller for resale may report the transfer of all the



aircraft, watercraft, motor vehicles or trailers involved in that transaction to the Department on the same uniform invoice-transaction reporting return form. For purposes of this Section, "watercraft" means a Class 2, Class 3, or Class 4 watercraft as defined in Section 3-2 of the Boat Registration and Safety Act, a personal watercraft, or any boat equipped with an inboard motor.

The transaction reporting return in the case of motor vehicles or trailers that are required to be registered with an agency of this State, shall be the same document as the Uniform Invoice referred to in Section 5-402 of the Illinois Vehicle Code and must show the name and address of the seller; the name and address of the purchaser; the amount of the selling price including the amount allowed by the retailer for traded-in property, if any; the amount allowed by the retailer for the traded-in tangible personal property, if any, to the extent to which Section 2 of this Act allows an exemption for the value of traded-in property; the balance payable after deducting such trade-in allowance from the total selling price; the amount of tax due from the retailer with respect to such transaction; the amount of tax collected from the purchaser by the retailer on such transaction (or satisfactory evidence that such tax is not due in that particular instance, if that is claimed to be the fact); the place and date of the sale; a sufficient identification of the property sold; such other information as is required in Section 5-402 of the Illinois Vehicle Code, and such other information as the Department may reasonably require.

The transaction reporting return in the case of watercraft and aircraft must show the name and address of the seller; the name and address of the purchaser; the amount of the selling price including the amount allowed by the retailer for traded-in property, if any; the amount allowed by the retailer for the traded-in tangible personal property, if any, to the extent to which Section 2 of this Act allows an exemption for the value of traded-in property; the balance payable after deducting such trade-in allowance from the total selling price; the amount of tax due from the retailer with respect to such transaction; the amount of tax collected from the purchaser by the retailer on such transaction (or satisfactory evidence that such tax is not due in that particular instance, if that is claimed to be the fact); the place and date of the sale, a sufficient identification of the property sold, and such other information as the Department may reasonably require.

Such transaction reporting return shall be filed not later than 20 days after the date of delivery of the item that is being sold, but may be filed by the retailer at any time sooner than that if he chooses to do so. The transaction reporting return and tax remittance or proof of exemption from the tax that is imposed by this Act may be transmitted to the Department by way of the State agency with which, or State officer with whom, the tangible personal property must be titled or registered (if titling or registration is

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required) if the Department and such agency or State officer determine that this procedure will expedite the processing of applications for title or registration.

With each such transaction reporting return, the retailer shall remit the proper amount of tax due (or shall submit satisfactory evidence that the sale is not taxable if that is the case), to the Department or its agents, whereupon the Department shall issue, in the purchaser's name, a tax receipt (or a certificate of exemption if the Department is satisfied that the particular sale is tax exempt) which such purchaser may submit to the agency with which, or State officer with whom, he must title or register the tangible personal property that is involved (if titling or registration is required) in support of such purchaser's application for an Illinois certificate or other evidence of title or registration to such tangible personal property.

No retailer's failure or refusal to remit tax under this Act precludes a user, who has paid the proper tax to the retailer, from obtaining his certificate of title or other evidence of title or registration (if titling or registration is required) upon satisfying the Department that such user has paid the proper tax (if tax is due) to the retailer. The Department shall adopt appropriate rules to carry out the mandate of this paragraph.

If the user who would otherwise pay tax to the retailer wants the transaction reporting return filed and the payment of tax or proof of exemption made to the Department before the retailer is willing to take these actions and such user has not paid the tax to the retailer, such user may certify to the fact of such delay by the retailer, and may (upon the Department being satisfied of the truth of such certification) transmit the information required by the transaction reporting return and the remittance for tax or proof of exemption directly to the Department and obtain his tax receipt or exemption determination, in which event the transaction reporting return and tax remittance (if a tax payment was required) shall be credited by the Department to the proper retailer's account with the Department, but without the 2.1% or 1.75% discount provided for in this Section being allowed. When the user pays the tax directly to the Department, he shall pay the tax in the same amount and in the same form in which it would be remitted if the tax had been remitted to the Department by the retailer.

Where a retailer collects the tax with respect to the selling price of tangible personal property which he sells and the purchaser thereafter returns such tangible personal property and the retailer refunds the selling price thereof to the purchaser, such retailer shall also refund, to the purchaser, the tax so collected from the purchaser. When filing his return for the period in which he refunds such tax to the purchaser, the retailer may deduct the amount of the tax so refunded by him to the purchaser from any other use tax which such retailer may be required to pay or remit to the Department, as shown by such return, if the amount of the tax to be deducted was previously remitted to the Department by such retailer. If the retailer has not previously remitted the amount of such tax to the Department, he is entitled to no deduction under this Act upon refunding such tax to the purchaser.

Any retailer filing a return under this Section shall also include (for the purpose of paying tax thereon) the total tax covered by such return upon the selling price of tangible personal property purchased by him at retail from a retailer, but as to which the tax imposed by this Act was not collected from the retailer filing such return, and such retailer shall remit the amount of such tax to the Department when filing such return.

If experience indicates such action to be practicable, the Department may prescribe and furnish a combination or joint return which will enable retailers, who are required to file returns hereunder and also under the Retailers' Occupation Tax Act, to furnish all the return information required by both Acts on the one form.

Where the retailer has more than one business registered with the Department under separate registration under this Act, such retailer may not file each return that is due as a single return covering all such registered businesses, but shall file separate returns for each such registered business.

Beginning January 1, 1990, each month the Department shall pay into the State and Local Sales Tax Reform Fund, a special fund in the State Treasury which is hereby created, the net revenue realized for the preceding month from the 1% tax on sales of food for human consumption which is to be consumed off the premises where it is sold (other than alcoholic beverages, soft drinks and food which has been prepared for immediate consumption) and prescription and nonprescription medicines, drugs, medical appliances and insulin, urine testing materials, syringes and needles used by diabetics.

Beginning January 1, 1990, each month the Department shall pay into the County and Mass Transit District Fund 4% of the net revenue realized for the preceding month from the 6.25% general rate on the selling price of tangible personal property which is purchased outside Illinois at retail from a retailer and which is titled or registered by an agency of this State's government.

Beginning January 1, 1990, each month the Department shall pay into the State and Local Sales Tax Reform Fund, a special fund in the State Treasury, 20% of the net revenue realized for the preceding month from the 6.25% general rate on the selling price of tangible personal property, other than tangible personal property which is purchased outside Illinois at retail from a retailer and which is titled or registered by an agency of this State's government.

Beginning January 1, 1990, each month the Department shall pay into the Local Government Tax Fund 16% of the net revenue realized for the preceding month from the 6.25% general rate on the selling price of tangible personal property which is purchased outside Illinois at retail from a retailer and which is titled or registered by an agency of this State's government.

Of the remainder of the moneys received by the Department pursuant to this Act, (a) 1.75% thereof shall be paid into the Build Illinois Fund and (b) prior to July 1, 1989, 2.2% and on and after July 1, 1989, 3.8% thereof shall be paid into the Build Illinois Fund; provided, however, that if in any fiscal year the sum of (1) the aggregate of 2.2% or 3.8%, as the case may be, of the moneys received by the Department and required to be paid into the Build Illinois Fund pursuant to Section 3 of the Retailers' Occupation Tax Act, Section 9 of the Use Tax Act, Section 9 of the Service Use Tax Act, and Section 9 of the Service Occupation Tax Act, such Acts being hereinafter called the "Tax Acts" and such aggregate of 2.2% or 3.8%, as the case may be, of moneys being hereinafter called the "Tax Act

Amount", and (2) the amount transferred to the Build Illinois Fund from the State and Local Sales Tax Reform Fund shall be less than the Annual Specified Amount (as defined in Section 3 of the Retailers' Occupation Tax Act), an amount equal to the difference shall be immediately paid into the Build Illinois Fund from other moneys received by the Department pursuant to the Tax Acts; and further provided, that if on the last business day of any month the sum of (1) the Tax Act Amount required to be deposited into the Build Illinois Bond Account in the Build Illinois Fund during such month

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and (2) the amount transferred during such month to the Build Illinois Fund from the State and Local Sales Tax Reform Fund shall have been less than 1/12 of the Annual Specified Amount, an amount equal to the difference shall be immediately paid into the Build Illinois Fund from other moneys received by the Department pursuant to the Tax Acts; and, further provided, that in no event shall the payments required under the preceding proviso result in aggregate payments into the Build Illinois Fund pursuant to this clause (b) for any fiscal year in excess of the greater of (i) the Tax Act Amount or (ii) the Annual Specified Amount for such fiscal year; and, further provided, that the amounts payable into the Build Illinois Fund under this clause (b) shall be payable only until such time as the aggregate amount on deposit under each trust indenture securing Bonds issued and outstanding pursuant to the Build Illinois Bond Act is sufficient, taking into account any future investment income, to fully provide, in accordance with such indenture, for the defeasance of or the payment of the principal of, premium, if any, and interest on the Bonds secured by such indenture and on any Bonds expected to be issued thereafter and all fees and costs payable with respect thereto, all as certified by the Director of the Bureau of the Budget. If on the last business day of any month in which Bonds are outstanding pursuant to the Build Illinois Bond Act, the aggregate of the moneys deposited in the Build Illinois Bond Account in the Build Illinois Fund in such month shall be less than the amount required to be transferred in such month from the Build Illinois Bond Account to the Build Illinois Bond Retirement and Interest Fund pursuant to Section 13 of the Build Illinois Bond Act, an amount equal to such deficiency shall be immediately paid from other moneys received by the Department pursuant to the Tax Acts to the Build Illinois Fund; provided, however, that any amounts paid to the Build Illinois Fund in any fiscal year pursuant to this sentence shall be deemed to constitute payments pursuant to clause (b) of the preceding sentence and shall reduce the amount otherwise payable for such fiscal year pursuant to clause (b) of the preceding sentence. The moneys received by the Department pursuant to this Act and required to be deposited into the Build Illinois Fund are subject to the pledge, claim and charge set forth in Section 12 of the Build Illinois Bond Act.

Subject to payment of amounts into the Build Illinois Fund as provided in the preceding paragraph or in any amendment thereto hereafter enacted, the following specified monthly installment of the amount requested in the certificate of the Chairman of the

Metropolitan Pier and Exposition Authority provided under Section 8.25f of the State Finance Act, but not in excess of the sums designated as "Total Deposit", shall be deposited in the aggregate from collections under Section 9 of the Use Tax Act, Section 9 of the Service Use Tax Act, Section 9 of the Service Occupation Tax Act, and Section 3 of the Retailers' Occupation Tax Act into the McCormick Place Expansion Project Fund in the specified fiscal years.

Fiscal Year	Total Deposit
1993	\$0
1994	53,000,000
1995	58,000,000
1996	61,000,000
1997	64,000,000
1998	68,000,000
1999	71,000,000
2000	75,000,000
2001	80,000,000
2002	84,000,000

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2003	89,000,000
2004	93,000,000
2005	97,000,000
2006	102,000,000
2007	108,000,000
2008	115,000,000
2009	120,000,000
2010	126,000,000
2011	132,000,000
2012	138,000,000
2013 and	145,000,000

each fiscal year  
thereafter that bonds  
are outstanding under  
Section 13.2 of the  
Metropolitan Pier and  
Exposition Authority  
Act, but not after fiscal year 2029.

Beginning July 20, 1993 and in each month of each fiscal year thereafter, one-eighth of the amount requested in the certificate of the Chairman of the Metropolitan Pier and Exposition Authority for that fiscal year, less the amount deposited into the McCormick Place Expansion Project Fund by the State Treasurer in the respective month under subsection (g) of Section 13 of the Metropolitan Pier and Exposition Authority Act, plus cumulative deficiencies in the deposits required under this Section for previous months and years, shall be deposited into the McCormick Place Expansion Project Fund, until the full amount requested for the fiscal year, but not in excess of the amount specified above as "Total Deposit", has been deposited.

Subject to payment of amounts into the Build Illinois Fund and the McCormick Place Expansion Project Fund pursuant to the preceding paragraphs or in any amendment thereto hereafter enacted, each month

the Department shall pay into the Local Government Distributive Fund .4% of the net revenue realized for the preceding month from the 5% general rate, or .4% of 80% of the net revenue realized for the preceding month from the 6.25% general rate, as the case may be, on the selling price of tangible personal property which amount shall, subject to appropriation, be distributed as provided in Section 2 of the State Revenue Sharing Act. No payments or distributions pursuant to this paragraph shall be made if the tax imposed by this Act on photoprocessing products is declared unconstitutional, or if the proceeds from such tax are unavailable for distribution because of litigation.

Subject to payment of amounts into the Build Illinois Fund, the McCormick Place Expansion Project Fund, and the Local Government Distributive Fund pursuant to the preceding paragraphs or in any amendments thereto hereafter enacted, beginning July 1, 1993, the Department shall each month pay into the Illinois Tax Increment Fund 0.27% of 80% of the net revenue realized for the preceding month from the 6.25% general rate on the selling price of tangible personal property.

Of the remainder of the moneys received by the Department pursuant to this Act, 75% thereof shall be paid into the State Treasury and 25% shall be reserved in a special account and used only for the transfer to the Common School Fund as part of the monthly transfer from the General Revenue Fund in accordance with Section 8a of the State Finance Act.

As soon as possible after the first day of each month, upon certification of the Department of Revenue, the Comptroller shall

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order transferred and the Treasurer shall transfer from the General Revenue Fund to the Motor Fuel Tax Fund an amount equal to 1.7% of 80% of the net revenue realized under this Act for the second preceding month. Beginning April 1, 2000, this transfer is no longer required and shall not be made.

Net revenue realized for a month shall be the revenue collected by the State pursuant to this Act, less the amount paid out during that month as refunds to taxpayers for overpayment of liability.

For greater simplicity of administration, manufacturers, importers and wholesalers whose products are sold at retail in Illinois by numerous retailers, and who wish to do so, may assume the responsibility for accounting and paying to the Department all tax accruing under this Act with respect to such sales, if the retailers who are affected do not make written objection to the Department to this arrangement.".

(Source: P.A. 90-491, eff. 1-1-99; 90-612, eff. 7-8-98; 91-37, eff. 7-1-99; 91-51, eff. 6-30-99; 91-101, eff. 7-12-99; 91-541, eff. 8-13-99; revised 9-29-99.)

The motion prevailed.

And the amendment was adopted and ordered printed.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing Amendment No. 1 was ordered engrossed; and the bill, as amended, was ordered to a third reading.

On motion of Senator R. Madigan, **Senate Bill No. 1658** was recalled from the order of third reading to the order of second reading.

Senator R. Madigan offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT NO. 3

AMENDMENT NO. 3. Amend Senate Bill 1658 on page 5 by inserting immediately below line 16 the following:

"(10) If a pooling agreement requires a member to submit written notice in order for the member to withdraw from a qualified pool, then the period in which the member must provide the written notice cannot be greater than 90 days."

The motion prevailed.

And the amendment was adopted and ordered printed.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing Amendment No. 3 was ordered engrossed; and the bill, as amended, was ordered to a third reading.

On motion of Senator Burzynski, **Senate Bill No. 1588** was recalled from the order of third reading to the order of second reading.

Senator Molaro offered the following amendment and moved its adoption:

AMENDMENT NO. 3

AMENDMENT NO. 3. Amend Senate Bill 1588, AS AMENDED, as follows: in Section 5, Sec. 12-801, the first sentence of subsection (b), by replacing "public service" with "public safety".

The motion prevailed.

And the amendment was adopted and ordered printed.

There being no further amendments, the foregoing Amendment No. 3 was ordered engrossed; and the bill, as amended, was ordered to a third reading.

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**READING BILLS OF THE SENATE A THIRD TIME**

On motion of Senator Karpiel, **Senate Bill No. 807**, having been transcribed and typed and all amendments adopted thereto having been printed, was taken up and read by title a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas 47; Nays 3; Present 9.

The following voted in the affirmative:

Bomke  
Bowles  
Burzynski  
Clayborne  
Cronin

Cullerton  
DeLeo  
Demuzio  
Dillard  
Donahue  
Dudycz  
Geo-Karis  
Halvorson  
Hawkinson  
Jacobs  
Jones, W.  
Karpiel  
Klemm  
Lauzen  
Lightford  
Link  
Luechtefeld  
Madigan, L.  
Madigan, R.  
Maitland  
Mitchell  
Molaro  
Munoz  
Noland  
Obama  
O'Daniel  
O'Malley  
Parker  
Petka  
Radogno  
Rauschenberger  
Roskam  
Sieben  
Sullivan  
Syverson  
Trotter  
Walsh, L.  
Walsh, T.  
Watson  
Weaver  
Welch  
Mr. President

The following voted in the negative:

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Mahar  
Peterson  
Ronen

The following voted present:



del Valle  
Hendon  
Jones, E.  
Myers  
Shadid  
Shaw  
Silverstein  
Smith  
Viverito

This bill, having received the vote of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed, and all amendments not adopted were tabled pursuant to Senate Rule No. 5-4(a).

Ordered that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

On motion of Senator Myers, **Senate Bill No. 1281**, having been transcribed and typed and all amendments adopted thereto having been printed, was taken up and read by title a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas 59; Nays None.

The following voted in the affirmative:

Bomke  
Bowles  
Burzynski  
Clayborne  
Cronin  
Cullerton  
DeLeo  
del Valle  
Demuzio  
Dillard  
Donahue  
Dudycz  
Geo-Karis  
Halvorson  
Hawkinson  
Hendon  
Jacobs  
Jones, E.  
Jones, W.  
Karpel  
Klemm  
Lauzen  
Lightford  
Link  
Luechtefeld  
Madigan, L.  
Madigan, R.  
Mahar  
Maitland  
Mitchell

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Molaro  
 Munoz  
 Myers  
 Noland  
 Obama  
 O'Daniel  
 O'Malley  
 Parker  
 Peterson  
 Petka  
 Radogno  
 Rauschenberger  
 Ronen  
 Roskam  
 Shadid  
 Shaw  
 Sieben  
 Silverstein  
 Smith  
 Sullivan  
 Syverson  
 Trotter  
 Viverito  
 Walsh, L.  
 Walsh, T.  
 Watson  
 Weaver  
 Welch  
 Mr. President

This bill, having received the vote of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed, and all amendments not adopted were tabled pursuant to Senate Rule No. 5-4(a).

Ordered that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

On motion of Senator Dillard, **Senate Bill No. 1288**, having been transcribed and typed and all amendments adopted thereto having been printed, was taken up and read by title a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas 58; Nays None.

The following voted in the affirmative:

Bomke  
 Bowles  
 Burzynski  
 Clayborne  
 Cronin  
 Cullerton  
 DeLeo  
 del Valle  
 Demuzio  
 Dillard

Donahue  
Dudycz  
Halvorson  
Hawkinson  
Hendon  
Jacobs

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Jones, E.  
Jones, W.  
Karpiel  
Klemm  
Lauzen  
Lightford  
Link  
Luechtefeld  
Madigan, L.  
Madigan, R.  
Mahar  
Maitland  
Mitchell  
Molaro  
Munoz  
Myers  
Noland  
Obama  
O'Daniel  
O'Malley  
Parker  
Peterson  
Petka  
Radogno  
Rauschenberger  
Ronen  
Roskam  
Shadid  
Shaw  
Sieben  
Silverstein  
Smith  
Sullivan  
Syverson  
Trotter  
Viverito  
Walsh, L.  
Walsh, T.  
Watson  
Weaver  
Welch  
Mr. President

This bill, having received the vote of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed, and all amendments not

adopted were tabled pursuant to Senate Rule No. 5-4(a).

Ordered that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

On motion of Senator Radogno, **Senate Bill No. 1391**, having been transcribed and typed and all amendments adopted thereto having been printed, was taken up and read by title a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas 55; Nays 4.

The following voted in the affirmative:

Bomke  
Burzynski  
Clayborne

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Cronin  
Cullerton  
DeLeo  
del Valle  
Demuzio  
Dillard  
Donahue  
Dudycz  
Geo-Karis  
Halvorson  
Hawkinson  
Hendon  
Jones, E.  
Jones, W.  
Karpel  
Klemm  
Lauzen  
Lightford  
Link  
Luechtefeld  
Madigan, L.  
Madigan, R.  
Mahar  
Maitland  
Molaro  
Munoz  
Myers  
Noland  
Obama  
O'Daniel  
O'Malley  
Parker  
Peterson  
Petka  
Radogno  
Rauschenberger

Ronen  
Roskam  
Shadid  
Shaw  
Sieben  
Silverstein  
Smith  
Sullivan  
Syverson  
Trotter  
Viverito  
Walsh, T.  
Watson  
Weaver  
Welch  
Mr. President

The following voted in the negative:

Bowles  
Jacobs  
Mitchell  
Walsh, L.

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This bill, having received the vote of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed, and all amendments not adopted were tabled pursuant to Senate Rule No. 5-4(a).

Ordered that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

On motion of Senator O'Malley, **Senate Bill No. 1393**, having been transcribed and typed and all amendments adopted thereto having been printed, was taken up and read by title a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas 44; Nays 10; Present 3.

The following voted in the affirmative:

Bomke  
Bowles  
Burzynski  
Clayborne  
Cronin  
DeLeo  
del Valle  
Dillard  
Donahue  
Dudycz  
Geo-Karis  
Halvorson  
Hawkinson

Hendon  
Jones, W.  
Karpier  
Klemm  
Lauzen  
Lightford  
Link  
Luechtefeld  
Mahar  
Maitland  
Munoz  
Myers  
Noland  
Obama  
O'Malley  
Parker  
Peterson  
Petka  
Radogno  
Rauschenberger  
Ronen  
Roskam  
Shaw  
Sieben  
Sullivan  
Syverson  
Trotter  
Walsh, T.  
Watson  
Weaver  
Mr. President

The following voted in the negative:

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Jacobs  
Jones, E.  
Madigan, L.  
Madigan, R.  
Mitchell  
O'Daniel  
Shadid  
Silverstein  
Walsh, L.  
Welch

The following voted present:

Demuzio  
Smith  
Viverito

This bill, having received the vote of a constitutional majority

of the members elected, was declared passed, and all amendments not adopted were tabled pursuant to Senate Rule No. 5-4(a).

Ordered that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

On motion of Senator W. Jones, **Senate Bill No. 1404**, having been transcribed and typed and all amendments adopted thereto having been printed, was taken up and read by title a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas 59; Nays None.

The following voted in the affirmative:

Bomke  
Bowles  
Burzynski  
Clayborne  
Cronin  
Cullerton  
DeLeo  
del Valle  
Demuzio  
Dillard  
Donahue  
Dudycz  
Geo-Karis  
Halvorson  
Hawkinson  
Hendon  
Jacobs  
Jones, E.  
Jones, W.  
Karpiel  
Klemm  
Lauzen  
Lightford  
Link  
Luechtefeld  
Madigan, L.  
Madigan, R.  
Mahar  
Maitland

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Mitchell  
Molaro  
Munoz  
Myers  
Noland  
Obama  
O'Daniel  
O'Malley  
Parker

Peterson  
Petka  
Radogno  
Rauschenberger  
Ronen  
Roskam  
Shadid  
Shaw  
Sieben  
Silverstein  
Smith  
Sullivan  
Syverson  
Trotter  
Viverito  
Walsh, L.  
Walsh, T.  
Watson  
Weaver  
Welch  
Mr. President

This bill, having received the vote of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed, and all amendments not adopted were tabled pursuant to Senate Rule No. 5-4(a).

Ordered that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

On motion of Senator Dillard, **Senate Bill No. 1426**, having been transcribed and typed and all amendments adopted thereto having been printed, was taken up and read by title a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas 57; Nays None.

The following voted in the affirmative:

Bomke  
Bowles  
Burzynski  
Clayborne  
Cronin  
Cullerton  
DeLeo  
del Valle  
Demuzio  
Dillard  
Donahue  
Dudycz  
Geo-Karis  
Halvorson  
Hawkinson

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Hendon  
Jacobs  
Jones, E.  
Jones, W.  
Karpier  
Klemm  
Lauzen  
Lightford  
Link  
Luechtefeld  
Madigan, L.  
Madigan, R.  
Mahar  
Maitland  
Mitchell  
Munoz  
Myers  
Noland  
Obama  
O'Daniel  
O'Malley  
Parker  
Peterson  
Petka  
Radogno  
Rauschenberger  
Ronen  
Roskam  
Shadid  
Shaw  
Sieben  
Silverstein  
Smith  
Sullivan  
Syverson  
Trotter  
Viverito  
Walsh, L.  
Walsh, T.  
Watson  
Welch  
Mr. President

This bill, having received the vote of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed, and all amendments not adopted were tabled pursuant to Senate Rule No. 5-4(a).

Ordered that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

On motion of Senator Lauzen, **Senate Bill No. 1440**, having been transcribed and typed and all amendments adopted thereto having been printed, was taken up and read by title a third time.

The Chair announced that **Senate Bill No. 1440** preempts the powers of Home Rule Units, therefore, a vote of three-fifths of the members elected will be required for its passage.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas 48; Nays 7; Present 3.

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The following voted in the affirmative:

Bomke  
Burzynski  
Cronin  
Cullerton  
DeLeo  
del Valle  
Demuzio  
Dillard  
Donahue  
Dudycz  
Geo-Karis  
Hawkinson  
Hendon  
Jacobs  
Jones, W.  
Karpel  
Klemm  
Lauzen  
Link  
Luechtefeld  
Madigan, L.  
Madigan, R.  
Mahar  
Maitland  
Molaro  
Munoz  
Myers  
Noland  
Obama  
O'Daniel  
O'Malley  
Parker  
Peterson  
Petka  
Radogno  
Rauschenberger  
Roskam  
Shadid  
Sieben  
Sullivan  
Syverson  
Trotter  
Walsh, L.  
Walsh, T.  
Watson  
Weaver

Welch  
Mr. President

The following voted in the negative:

Bowles  
Clayborne  
Halvorson  
Jones, E.  
Lightford  
Mitchell  
Shaw

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The following voted present:

Ronen  
Silverstein  
Viverito

This bill, having received the vote of three-fifths of the members elected, was declared passed, and all amendments not adopted were tabled pursuant to Senate Rule No. 5-4(a).

Ordered that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

Senator Smith asked and obtained unanimous consent for the Journal to reflect her affirmative vote on **Senate Bill No. 1440**.

On motion of Senator Cronin, **Senate Bill No. 1447**, having been transcribed and typed and all amendments adopted thereto having been printed, was taken up and read by title a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas 59; Nays None.

The following voted in the affirmative:

Bomke  
Bowles  
Burzynski  
Clayborne  
Cronin  
Cullerton  
DeLeo  
del Valle  
Demuzio  
Dillard  
Donahue  
Dudycz  
Geo-Karis  
Halvorson  
Hawkinson  
Hendon

Jacobs  
Jones, E.  
Jones, W.  
Karpiel  
Klemm  
Lauzen  
Lightford  
Link  
Luechtefeld  
Madigan, L.  
Madigan, R.  
Mahar  
Maitland  
Mitchell  
Molaro  
Munoz  
Myers  
Noland  
Obama  
O'Daniel  
O'Malley

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Parker  
Peterson  
Petka  
Radogno  
Rauschenberger  
Ronen  
Roskam  
Shadid  
Shaw  
Sieben  
Silverstein  
Smith  
Sullivan  
Syverson  
Trotter  
Viverito  
Walsh, L.  
Walsh, T.  
Watson  
Weaver  
Welch  
Mr. President

This bill, having received the vote of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed, and all amendments not adopted were tabled pursuant to Senate Rule No. 5-4(a).

Ordered that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

On motion of Senator Radogno, **Senate Bill No. 1453**, having been

transcribed and typed and all amendments adopted thereto having been printed, was taken up and read by title a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas 59; Nays None.

The following voted in the affirmative:

Bomke  
Bowles  
Burzynski  
Clayborne  
Cronin  
Cullerton  
DeLeo  
del Valle  
Demuzio  
Dillard  
Donahue  
Dudycz  
Geo-Karis  
Halvorson  
Hawkinson  
Hendon  
Jacobs  
Jones, E.  
Jones, W.  
Karpel  
Klemm  
Lauzen  
Lightford

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Link  
Luechtefeld  
Madigan, L.  
Madigan, R.  
Mahar  
Maitland  
Mitchell  
Molaro  
Munoz  
Myers  
Noland  
Obama  
O'Daniel  
O'Malley  
Parker  
Peterson  
Petka  
Radogno  
Rauschenberger  
Ronen  
Roskam

Shadid  
Shaw  
Sieben  
Silverstein  
Smith  
Sullivan  
Syverson  
Trotter  
Viverito  
Walsh, L.  
Walsh, T.  
Watson  
Weaver  
Welch  
Mr. President

This bill, having received the vote of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed, and all amendments not adopted were tabled pursuant to Senate Rule No. 5-4(a).

Ordered that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

On motion of Senator Bomke, **Senate Bill No. 1504**, having been transcribed and typed and all amendments adopted thereto having been printed, was taken up and read by title a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas 59; Nays None.

The following voted in the affirmative:

Bomke  
Bowles  
Burzynski  
Clayborne  
Cronin  
Cullerton  
DeLeo  
del Valle  
Demuzio

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Dillard  
Donahue  
Dudycz  
Geo-Karis  
Halvorson  
Hawkinson  
Hendon  
Jacobs  
Jones, E.  
Jones, W.  
Karpiel  
Klemm

Lauzen  
Lightford  
Link  
Luechtefeld  
Madigan, L.  
Madigan, R.  
Mahar  
Maitland  
Mitchell  
Molaro  
Munoz  
Myers  
Noland  
Obama  
O'Daniel  
O'Malley  
Parker  
Peterson  
Petka  
Radogno  
Rauschenberger  
Ronen  
Roskam  
Shadid  
Shaw  
Sieben  
Silverstein  
Smith  
Sullivan  
Syverson  
Trotter  
Viverito  
Walsh, L.  
Walsh, T.  
Watson  
Weaver  
Welch  
Mr. President

This bill, having received the vote of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed, and all amendments not adopted were tabled pursuant to Senate Rule No. 5-4(a).

Ordered that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

On motion of Senator Parker, **Senate Bill No. 1510**, having been transcribed and typed and all amendments adopted thereto having been printed, was taken up and read by title a third time.

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And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas 57; Nays 1.

The following voted in the affirmative:

Bomke  
Bowles  
Burzynski  
Clayborne  
Cronin  
Cullerton  
DeLeo  
del Valle  
Demuzio  
Dillard  
Donahue  
Dudycz  
Geo-Karis  
Halvorson  
Hawkinson  
Hendon  
Jacobs  
Jones, E.  
Jones, W.  
Klemm  
Lauzen  
Lightford  
Link  
Luechtefeld  
Madigan, L.  
Madigan, R.  
Mahar  
Maitland  
Mitchell  
Molaro  
Munoz  
Myers  
Noland  
Obama  
O'Daniel  
O'Malley  
Parker  
Peterson  
Petka  
Radogno  
Ronen  
Roskam  
Shadid  
Shaw  
Sieben  
Silverstein  
Smith  
Sullivan  
Syverson  
Trotter  
Viverito  
Walsh, L.  
Walsh, T.  
Watson  
Weaver



Welch  
Mr. President

The following voted in the negative:

Rauschenberger

This bill, having received the vote of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed, and all amendments not adopted were tabled pursuant to Senate Rule No. 5-4(a).

Ordered that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

On motion of Senator Dillard, **Senate Bill No. 1514**, having been transcribed and typed and all amendments adopted thereto having been printed, was taken up and read by title a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas 57; Nays 1.

The following voted in the affirmative:

Bomke  
Bowles  
Clayborne  
Cronin  
Cullerton  
DeLeo  
Demuzio  
Dillard  
Donahue  
Dudycz  
Geo-Karis  
Halvorson  
Hawkinson  
Hendon  
Jacobs  
Jones, E.  
Jones, W.  
Karpel  
Klemm  
Lauzen  
Lightford  
Link  
Luechtefeld  
Madigan, L.  
Madigan, R.  
Mahar  
Maitland  
Mitchell  
Molaro  
Munoz

Myers  
Noland  
Obama  
O'Daniel  
O'Malley  
Parker  
Peterson  
Petka  
Radogno

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Rauschenberger  
Ronen  
Roskam  
Shadid  
Shaw  
Sieben  
Silverstein  
Smith  
Sullivan  
Syverson  
Trotter  
Viverito  
Walsh, L.  
Walsh, T.  
Watson  
Weaver  
Welch  
Mr. President

The following voted in the negative:

Burzynski

This bill, having received the vote of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed, and all amendments not adopted were tabled pursuant to Senate Rule No. 5-4(a).

Ordered that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

On motion of Senator Cronin, **Senate Bill No. 1540**, having been transcribed and typed and all amendments adopted thereto having been printed, was taken up and read by title a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas 59; Nays None.

The following voted in the affirmative:

Bomke  
Bowles  
Burzynski  
Clayborne  
Cronin

Cullerton  
DeLeo  
del Valle  
Demuzio  
Dillard  
Donahue  
Dudycz  
Geo-Karis  
Halvorson  
Hawkinson  
Hendon  
Jacobs  
Jones, E.  
Jones, W.  
Karpiel  
Klemm  
Lauzen  
Lightford

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Link  
Luechtefeld  
Madigan, L.  
Madigan, R.  
Mahar  
Maitland  
Mitchell  
Molaro  
Munoz  
Myers  
Noland  
Obama  
O'Daniel  
O'Malley  
Parker  
Peterson  
Petka  
Radogno  
Rauschenberger  
Ronen  
Roskam  
Shadid  
Shaw  
Sieben  
Silverstein  
Smith  
Sullivan  
Syverson  
Trotter  
Viverito  
Walsh, L.  
Walsh, T.  
Watson

Weaver  
Welch  
Mr. President

This bill, having received the vote of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed, and all amendments not adopted were tabled pursuant to Senate Rule No. 5-4(a).

Ordered that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

On motion of Senator T. Walsh, **Senate Bill No. 1550**, having been transcribed and typed and all amendments adopted thereto having been printed, was taken up and read by title a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas 52; Nays 5.

The following voted in the affirmative:

Bomke  
Bowles  
Clayborne  
Cronin  
Cullerton  
DeLeo  
del Valle  
Demuzio  
Dillard

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Donahue  
Dudycz  
Geo-Karis  
Halvorson  
Hendon  
Jacobs  
Jones, E.  
Jones, W.  
Karpiel  
Klemm  
Lauzen  
Lightford  
Link  
Madigan, L.  
Madigan, R.  
Maitland  
Mitchell  
Molaro  
Munoz  
Myers  
Noland  
Obama  
O'Daniel  
Parker

Peterson  
Petka  
Rauschenberger  
Ronen  
Roskam  
Shaw  
Sieben  
Silverstein  
Smith  
Sullivan  
Syverson  
Trotter  
Viverito  
Walsh, L.  
Walsh, T.  
Watson  
Weaver  
Welch  
Mr. President

The following voted in the negative:

Burzynski  
Hawkinson  
Luechtefeld  
Mahar  
Radogno

This bill, having received the vote of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed, and all amendments not adopted were tabled pursuant to Senate Rule No. 5-4(a).

Ordered that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

On motion of Senator Silverstein, **Senate Bill No. 1567**, having been transcribed and typed and all amendments adopted thereto having

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been printed, was taken up and read by title a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas 58; Nays None.

The following voted in the affirmative:

Bomke  
Bowles  
Burzynski  
Clayborne  
Cronin  
Cullerton  
DeLeo  
del Valle  
Demuzio

Dillard  
Donahue  
Dudycz  
Geo-Karis  
Hawkinson  
Hendon  
Jacobs  
Jones, E.  
Jones, W.  
Karpel  
Klemm  
Lauzen  
Lightford  
Link  
Luechtefeld  
Madigan, L.  
Madigan, R.  
Mahar  
Maitland  
Mitchell  
Molaro  
Munoz  
Myers  
Noland  
Obama  
O'Daniel  
O'Malley  
Parker  
Peterson  
Petka  
Radogno  
Rauschenberger  
Ronen  
Roskam  
Shadid  
Shaw  
Sieben  
Silverstein  
Smith  
Sullivan  
Syverson  
Trotter  
Viverito  
Walsh, L.  
Walsh, T.

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Watson  
Weaver  
Welch  
Mr. President

This bill, having received the vote of a constitutional majority

of the members elected, was declared passed, and all amendments not adopted were tabled pursuant to Senate Rule No. 5-4(a).

Ordered that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

On motion of Senator Molaro, **Senate Bill No. 1588**, having been transcribed and typed and all amendments adopted thereto having been printed, was taken up and read by title a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas 38; Nays 18; Present 3.

The following voted in the affirmative:

Bowles  
Burzynski  
Clayborne  
Cronin  
Cullerton  
DeLeo  
del Valle  
Demuzio  
Dudycz  
Geo-Karis  
Halvorson  
Hendon  
Jacobs  
Jones, E.  
Klemm  
Lightford  
Link  
Madigan, L.  
Madigan, R.  
Mitchell  
Molaro  
Munoz  
Obama  
Petka  
Rauschenberger  
Ronen  
Roskam  
Shadid  
Shaw  
Sieben  
Silverstein  
Smith  
Syverson  
Trotter  
Walsh, L.  
Walsh, T.  
Watson  
Welch

The following voted in the negative:

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Donahue  
Hawkinson  
Jones, W.  
Karpel  
Lauzen  
Luechtefeld  
Mahar  
Maitland  
Myers  
Noland  
O'Daniel  
O'Malley  
Parker  
Peterson  
Radogno  
Sullivan  
Viverito  
Mr. President

The following voted present:

Bomke  
Dillard  
Weaver

This bill, having received the vote of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed, and all amendments not adopted were tabled pursuant to Senate Rule No. 5-4(a).

Ordered that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

At the hour of 11:00 o'clock a.m., Senator Donahue presiding.

On motion of Senator Parker, **Senate Bill No. 1626**, having been transcribed and typed and all amendments adopted thereto having been printed, was taken up and read by title a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas 48; Nays 10.

The following voted in the affirmative:

Bomke  
Bowles  
Burzynski  
Clayborne  
Cronin  
Cullerton  
del Valle  
Demuzio  
Dillard  
Donahue  
Dudycz  
Geo-Karis  
Halvorson



Hawkinson  
Hendon  
Jones, W.  
Karpiel  
Klemm  
Lightford

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Link  
Luechtefeld  
Madigan, L.  
Madigan, R.  
Maitland  
Mitchell  
Munoz  
Myers  
Noland  
Obama  
O'Daniel  
O'Malley  
Parker  
Peterson  
Radogno  
Roskam  
Shadid  
Shaw  
Sieben  
Silverstein  
Smith  
Sullivan  
Syverson  
Trotter  
Walsh, L.  
Walsh, T.  
Watson  
Weaver  
Mr. President

The following voted in the negative:

DeLeo  
Jacobs  
Lauzen  
Mahar  
Molaro  
Petka  
Rauschenberger  
Ronen  
Viverito  
Welch

This bill, having received the vote of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed, and all amendments not

adopted were tabled pursuant to Senate Rule No. 5-4(a).

Ordered that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

On motion of Senator Parker, **Senate Bill No. 1655**, having been transcribed and typed and all amendments adopted thereto having been printed, was taken up and read by title a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas 59; Nays None.

The following voted in the affirmative:

Bomke  
Bowles  
Burzynski

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Clayborne  
Cronin  
Cullerton  
DeLeo  
del Valle  
Demuzio  
Dillard  
Donahue  
Dudycz  
Geo-Karis  
Halvorson  
Hawkinson  
Hendon  
Jacobs  
Jones, E.  
Jones, W.  
Karpel  
Klemm  
Lauzen  
Lightford  
Link  
Luechtefeld  
Madigan, L.  
Madigan, R.  
Mahar  
Maitland  
Mitchell  
Molaro  
Munoz  
Myers  
Noland  
Obama  
O'Daniel  
O'Malley  
Parker  
Peterson

Petka  
Radogno  
Rauschenberger  
Ronen  
Roskam  
Shadid  
Shaw  
Sieben  
Silverstein  
Smith  
Sullivan  
Syverson  
Trotter  
Viverito  
Walsh, L.  
Walsh, T.  
Watson  
Weaver  
Welch  
Mr. President

This bill, having received the vote of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed, and all amendments not adopted were tabled pursuant to Senate Rule No. 5-4(a).

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Ordered that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

On motion of Senator R. Madigan, **Senate Bill No. 1658**, having been transcribed and typed and all amendments adopted thereto having been printed, was taken up and read by title a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas 59; Nays None.

The following voted in the affirmative:

Bomke  
Bowles  
Burzynski  
Clayborne  
Cronin  
Cullerton  
DeLeo  
del Valle  
Demuzio  
Dillard  
Donahue  
Dudycz  
Geo-Karis  
Halvorson  
Hawkinson  
Hendon

Jacobs  
Jones, E.  
Jones, W.  
Karpier  
Klemm  
Lauzen  
Lightford  
Link  
Luechtefeld  
Madigan, L.  
Madigan, R.  
Mahar  
Maitland  
Mitchell  
Molaro  
Munoz  
Myers  
Noland  
Obama  
O'Daniel  
O'Malley  
Parker  
Peterson  
Petka  
Radogno  
Rauschenberger  
Ronen  
Roskam  
Shadid  
Shaw  
Sieben  
Silverstein  
Smith

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Sullivan  
Syverson  
Trotter  
Viverito  
Walsh, L.  
Walsh, T.  
Watson  
Weaver  
Welch  
Mr. President

This bill, having received the vote of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed, and all amendments not adopted were tabled pursuant to Senate Rule No. 5-4(a).

Ordered that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

On motion of Senator Rauschenberger, **Senate Bill No. 1707**, having

been transcribed and typed and all amendments adopted thereto having been printed, was taken up and read by title a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas 50; Nays 9.

The following voted in the affirmative:

Bomke  
Bowles  
Burzynski  
Cronin  
Cullerton  
DeLeo  
Demuzio  
Dillard  
Donahue  
Dudycz  
Geo-Karis  
Hawkinson  
Jacobs  
Jones, W.  
Karpiel  
Klemm  
Lauzen  
Lightford  
Link  
Luechtefeld  
Madigan, L.  
Madigan, R.  
Mahar  
Maitland  
Mitchell  
Molaro  
Munoz  
Myers  
Noland  
O'Daniel  
O'Malley  
Parker  
Peterson  
Petka  
Radogno

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Rauschenberger  
Ronen  
Roskam  
Shadid  
Sieben  
Silverstein  
Sullivan  
Syverson  
Viverito

Walsh, L.  
Walsh, T.  
Watson  
Weaver  
Welch  
Mr. President

The following voted in the negative:

Clayborne  
del Valle  
Halvorson  
Hendon  
Jones, E.  
Obama  
Shaw  
Smith  
Trotter

This bill, having received the vote of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed, and all amendments not adopted were tabled pursuant to Senate Rule No. 5-4(a).

Ordered that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

On motion of Senator Sieben, **Senate Bill No. 1733**, having been transcribed and typed and all amendments adopted thereto having been printed, was taken up and read by title a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas 59; Nays None.

The following voted in the affirmative:

Bomke  
Bowles  
Burzynski  
Clayborne  
Cronin  
Cullerton  
DeLeo  
del Valle  
Demuzio  
Dillard  
Donahue  
Dudycz  
Geo-Karis  
Halvorson  
Hawkinson  
Hendon  
Jacobs  
Jones, E.

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Jones, W.  
Karpiel  
Klemm  
Lauzen  
Lightford  
Link  
Luechtefeld  
Madigan, L.  
Madigan, R.  
Mahar  
Maitland  
Mitchell  
Molaro  
Munoz  
Myers  
Noland  
Obama  
O'Daniel  
O'Malley  
Parker  
Peterson  
Petka  
Radogno  
Rauschenberger  
Ronen  
Roskam  
Shadid  
Shaw  
Sieben  
Silverstein  
Smith  
Sullivan  
Syverson  
Trotter  
Viverito  
Walsh, L.  
Walsh, T.  
Watson  
Weaver  
Welch  
Mr. President

This bill, having received the vote of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed, and all amendments not adopted were tabled pursuant to Senate Rule No. 5-4(a).

Ordered that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

On motion of Senator T. Walsh, **Senate Bill No. 1841**, having been transcribed and typed and all amendments adopted thereto having been printed, was taken up and read by title a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas 59; Nays None.

The following voted in the affirmative:

Bomke

Bowles  
Burzynski  
Clayborne

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Cronin  
Cullerton  
DeLeo  
del Valle  
Demuzio  
Dillard  
Donahue  
Dudycz  
Geo-Karis  
Halvorson  
Hawkinson  
Hendon  
Jacobs  
Jones, E.  
Jones, W.  
Karpier  
Klemm  
Lauzen  
Lightford  
Link  
Luechtefeld  
Madigan, L.  
Madigan, R.  
Mahar  
Maitland  
Mitchell  
Molaro  
Munoz  
Myers  
Noland  
Obama  
O'Daniel  
O'Malley  
Parker  
Peterson  
Petka  
Radogno  
Rauschenberger  
Ronen  
Roskam  
Shadid  
Shaw  
Sieben  
Silverstein  
Smith  
Sullivan  
Syverson  
Trotter



Viverito  
Walsh, L.  
Walsh, T.  
Watson  
Weaver  
Welch  
Mr. President

This bill, having received the vote of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed, and all amendments not adopted were tabled pursuant to Senate Rule No. 5-4(a).

Ordered that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives

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thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

On motion of Senator Maitland, **Senate Bill No. 1851**, having been transcribed and typed and all amendments adopted thereto having been printed, was taken up and read by title a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas 59; Nays None.

The following voted in the affirmative:

Bomke  
Bowles  
Burzynski  
Clayborne  
Cronin  
Cullerton  
DeLeo  
del Valle  
Demuzio  
Dillard  
Donahue  
Dudycz  
Geo-Karis  
Halvorson  
Hawkinson  
Hendon  
Jacobs  
Jones, E.  
Jones, W.  
Karpiel  
Klemm  
Lauzen  
Lightford  
Link  
Luechtefeld  
Madigan, L.  
Madigan, R.  
Mahar  
Maitland

Mitchell  
Molaro  
Munoz  
Myers  
Noland  
Obama  
O'Daniel  
O'Malley  
Parker  
Peterson  
Petka  
Radogno  
Rauschenberger  
Ronen  
Roskam  
Shadid  
Shaw  
Sieben  
Silverstein  
Smith  
Sullivan

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Syverson  
Trotter  
Viverito  
Walsh, L.  
Walsh, T.  
Watson  
Weaver  
Welch  
Mr. President

This bill, having received the vote of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed, and all amendments not adopted were tabled pursuant to Senate Rule No. 5-4(a).

Ordered that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

On motion of Senator Noland, **Senate Bill No. 1876**, having been transcribed and typed and all amendments adopted thereto having been printed, was taken up and read by title a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas 59; Nays None.

The following voted in the affirmative:

Bomke  
Bowles  
Burzynski  
Clayborne  
Cronin  
Cullerton

DeLeo  
del Valle  
Demuzio  
Dillard  
Donahue  
Dudycz  
Geo-Karis  
Halvorson  
Hawkinson  
Hendon  
Jacobs  
Jones, E.  
Jones, W.  
Karpier  
Klemm  
Lauzen  
Lightford  
Link  
Luechtefeld  
Madigan, L.  
Madigan, R.  
Mahar  
Maitland  
Mitchell  
Molaro  
Munoz  
Myers  
Noland  
Obama  
O'Daniel

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O'Malley  
Parker  
Peterson  
Petka  
Radogno  
Rauschenberger  
Ronen  
Roskam  
Shadid  
Shaw  
Sieben  
Silverstein  
Smith  
Sullivan  
Syverson  
Trotter  
Viverito  
Walsh, L.  
Walsh, T.  
Watson  
Weaver

Welch  
Mr. President

This bill, having received the vote of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed, and all amendments not adopted were tabled pursuant to Senate Rule No. 5-4(a).

Ordered that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

On motion of Senator Maitland, **Senate Bill No. 1885**, having been transcribed and typed and all amendments adopted thereto having been printed, was taken up and read by title a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas 46; Nays 12.

The following voted in the affirmative:

Bomke  
Bowles  
Burzynski  
Cronin  
Cullerton  
DeLeo  
del Valle  
Demuzio  
Dillard  
Donahue  
Dudycz  
Halvorson  
Hawkinson  
Jacobs  
Jones, W.  
Karpel  
Klemm  
Lauzen  
Lightford  
Link  
Luechtefeld  
Madigan, L.

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Madigan, R.  
Mahar  
Maitland  
Mitchell  
Myers  
Noland  
O'Daniel  
O'Malley  
Peterson  
Petka  
Radogno  
Rauschenberger

Roskam  
Shadid  
Sieben  
Smith  
Sullivan  
Syverson  
Walsh, L.  
Walsh, T.  
Watson  
Weaver  
Welch  
Mr. President

The following voted in the negative:

Clayborne  
Hendon  
Jones, E.  
Molaro  
Munoz  
Obama  
Parker  
Ronen  
Shaw  
Silverstein  
Trotter  
Viverito

This bill, having received the vote of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed, and all amendments not adopted were tabled pursuant to Senate Rule No. 5-4(a).

Ordered that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

On motion of Senator Philip, **Senate Bill No. 1888**, having been transcribed and typed and all amendments adopted thereto having been printed, was taken up and read by title a third time.

And the question being, "Shall this bill pass?" it was decided in the affirmative by the following vote: Yeas 58; Nays None.

The following voted in the affirmative:

Bomke  
Bowles  
Burzynski  
Clayborne  
Cronin  
Cullerton

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DeLeo  
del Valle  
Demuzio

Dillard  
Donahue  
Dudycz  
Geo-Karis  
Halvorson  
Hawkinson  
Hendon  
Jacobs  
Jones, E.  
Jones, W.  
Karpiel  
Klemm  
Lauzen  
Lightford  
Link  
Luechtefeld  
Madigan, L.  
Madigan, R.  
Mahar  
Maitland  
Mitchell  
Molaro  
Munoz  
Myers  
Noland  
Obama  
O'Daniel  
O'Malley  
Parker  
Peterson  
Petka  
Radogno  
Rauschenberger  
Roskam  
Shadid  
Shaw  
Sieben  
Silverstein  
Smith  
Sullivan  
Syverson  
Trotter  
Viverito  
Walsh, L.  
Walsh, T.  
Watson  
Weaver  
Welch  
Mr. President

This bill, having received the vote of a constitutional majority of the members elected, was declared passed, and all amendments not adopted were tabled pursuant to Senate Rule No. 5-4(a).

Ordered that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

Senator Ronen asked and obtained unanimous consent for the

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Journal to reflect her affirmative vote on **Senate Bill No. 1888**.

#### **COMMITTEE MEETING ANNOUNCEMENT**

Senator Rauschenberger, Chairperson of the Committee on Appropriations announced that the Appropriations Committee will meet Monday, February 28, 2000, in Room 212, Capitol Building, at 11:30 o'clock a.m.

#### **PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTION**

##### **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 303**

Offered by Senator L. Madigan and all Senators:  
Mourns the death of Greg Baker of Chicago.

The foregoing resolution was referred to the Resolutions Consent Calendar.

#### **READING BILLS FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES A FIRST TIME**

**House Bill No. 726**, sponsored by Senator Hendon was taken up, read by title a first time and referred to the Committee on Rules.

**House Bill No. 1955**, sponsored by Senator Hendon was taken up, read by title a first time and referred to the Committee on Rules.

**House Bill No. 2130**, sponsored by Senator Rauschenberger was taken up, read by title a first time and referred to the Committee on Rules.

**House Bill No. 3037**, sponsored by Senator T. Walsh was taken up, read by title a first time and referred to the Committee on Rules.

**House Bill No. 3111**, sponsored by Senators Dillard - E. Jones was taken up, read by title a first time and referred to the Committee on Rules.

**House Bill No. 3286**, sponsored by Senator T. Walsh was taken up, read by title a first time and referred to the Committee on Rules.

**House Bill No. 3293**, sponsored by Senator Clayborne was taken up, read by title a first time and referred to the Committee on Rules.

**House Bill No. 3428**, sponsored by Senator Rauschenberger was taken up, read by title a first time and referred to the Committee on Rules.

**House Bill No. 4021**, sponsored by Senator Donahue was taken up, read by title a first time and referred to the Committee on Rules.

**House Bill No. 4030**, sponsored by Senator Rauschenberger was taken up, read by title a first time and referred to the Committee on Rules.

**House Bill No. 4089**, sponsored by Senator Rauschenberger was taken up, read by title a first time and referred to the Committee on

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Rules.

**House Bill No. 4138**, sponsored by Senator Dudycz was taken up, read by title a first time and referred to the Committee on Rules.

**House Bill No. 4160**, sponsored by Senator Sullivan was taken up, read by title a first time and referred to the Committee on Rules.

**House Bill No. 4265**, sponsored by Senator Cronin was taken up, read by title a first time and referred to the Committee on Rules.

**House Bill No. 4404**, sponsored by Senators Noland - Sieben was taken up, read by title a first time and referred to the Committee on Rules.

#### **RESOLUTIONS CONSENT CALENDAR**

##### **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 302**

Offered by Senator Clayborne and all Senators:  
Mourns the death of the Honorable J. Lawrence Keshner of Alton.

##### **SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 303**

Offered by Senator L. Madigan and all Senators:  
Mourns the death of Greg Baker of Chicago.

Senator Donahue moved the adoption of the foregoing resolutions.  
The motion prevailed.  
And the resolutions were adopted.

#### **PRESENTATION OF RESOLUTION**

Senator Weaver offered the following Senate Joint Resolution and, having asked and obtained unanimous consent to suspend the rules for its immediate consideration, moved its adoption:

##### **SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 59**

RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-FIRST GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING HEREIN, that when the two Houses adjourn on Friday, February 25,



2000, the Senate stands adjourned until Tuesday, February 29, 2000, at 12:00 o'clock noon; and the House of Representatives stands adjourned until Tuesday, February 29, 2000, at 1:00 o'clock p.m.

The motion prevailed.

And the resolution was adopted.

Ordered that the Secretary inform the House of Representatives thereof, and ask their concurrence therein.

#### MESSAGES FROM THE PRESIDENT

##### OFFICE OF THE SENATE PRESIDENT ILLINOIS SENATE

James "Pate" Philip  
Senate President

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and  
Majority Leader

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Mr. Jim Harry  
Secretary of the Senate  
401 State House  
Springfield, IL 62706

Dear Mr. Secretary:

Pursuant to the provisions of Senate Rule 2-10(e), I hereby extend the deadlines for final action on the following category of bills, with specific bills enumerated under this category to January 9, 2001:

Appropriations, specifically: **Senate Bills 1781, 1782, 1783, 1784, 1785, 1786, 1787, 1788, 1789, 1790, 1791, 1792, 1793, 1794, 1795, 1796, 1797, 1799, 1800, 1801, 1802, 1803, 1804, 1805 and 1806**

State Finance, specifically: **Senate Bills 1817, 1818, 1819, 1820, 1821, 1822, 1823, 1824, 1825 and 1826**

Budget Implementation, specifically: **Senate Bills 1830 and 1831**

Transportation, specifically: **Senate Bill 1456**

Education, specifically: **Senate Bill 1368**

Economic Development, specifically: **Senate Bill 1316**

Revenue, specifically: **Senate Bills 1310, 1865, 1866 and 1867**

State Government Operations, specifically: **Senate Bills 1341 and 1869**

Sincerely,

s/Pate  
James "Pate" Philip  
Senate President

cc: Senator Jones  
Courtney Nottage  
Carter Hendren

**OFFICE OF THE SENATE PRESIDENT**

JAMES "PATE" PHILIP  
SENATE PRESIDENT

February 25, 2000

Mr. Jim Harry  
Secretary of the Senate  
401 State House  
Springfield, IL 62706

Dear Mr. Secretary:

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Pursuant to Senate Rule 2-10, I hereby revise the Senate Schedule for the week of February 28, 2000.

Please be advised that the Senate will not be in session on Thursday, March 2 and Friday, March 3.

Sincerely

s/James "Pate" Philip  
Senate President

cc: Senator Jones  
Speaker Madigan  
Representative Daniels  
Courtney Nottage  
Tim Mapes  
Michael Tristano

**MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**

A message from the House by  
Mr. Rossi, Clerk:

Mr. President -- I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has adopted the following joint resolution,

in the adoption of which I am instructed to ask the concurrence of the Senate, to-wit:

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 47

WHEREAS, Agriculture is the most important industry in Illinois; and

WHEREAS, Over the past few years Illinois' agriculture industry has experienced major financial difficulties; and

WHEREAS, Sixty-one percent of the farms studied are projected to have annual net farm incomes between \$0.00 and \$50,000.00 while average family living expenditures are approximately \$45,000.00 per year not including income tax or social security; and

WHEREAS, Of the farms studied, most of the farms do not have farm and off-farm income above family and living expenses in 1999; and

WHEREAS, Eighteen percent of the farms studied will have negative net incomes during 1999; and

WHEREAS, Around 93% of the farms studied are projected to have net worth declines between 1998 and 1999 with the average net worth decline of 15.5%; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-FIRST GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, THE SENATE CONCURRING HEREIN, that there is created the Farm Crisis Task Force to look into consolidations and monopolies of companies selling inputs into the agricultural economy and to look into consolidations and monopolies in the marketing of agricultural outputs; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Farm Crisis Task Force shall be comprised of 12 voting members, with 6 voting members from the House of Representatives, 3 members appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives and 3 members appointed by the Minority Leader of the House of Representatives, and with 6 voting members from the Senate, 3 members appointed by the President of the Senate and 3 members appointed by the Minority Leader of the Senate; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Farm Crisis Task Force shall be comprised of the following advisory non-voting members: the Governor or his or her designee; the Director of Agriculture or his or her designee; and the Attorney General or his or her designee; and be it further

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RESOLVED, That the Farm Crisis Task Force shall be comprised of the following non-voting members: one representative from the Illinois Farm Bureau, appointed by the Governor; one representative from the Illinois Corn Growers Association, appointed by the Governor; one representative from the Illinois Soybean Growers Association, appointed by the Governor; one representative from the Illinois Pork Producers Association, appointed by the Governor; one representative from the Illinois Beef Association, appointed by the Governor; one representative from the Farmers Union, appointed by the Governor; and up to 5 additional members from pertinent agricultural fields such as academia, business, and local government to be appointed by the Governor; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Task Force shall meet as soon as possible after at least 9 legislative members have been appointed, a majority of the voting members shall select a voting member to serve as

chairperson of the Task Force at its initial meeting, the members of the Task Force shall serve without compensation but be reimbursed for their reasonable and necessary expenses from funds appropriated for that purpose, the Task Force shall receive the assistance of legislative staff, legislative agencies, and, upon request, private and public organizations, the Task Force shall hold public hearings and compile a report, the Task Force shall submit the report to the House and Senate by filing copies of its report with the Clerk of the House and the Secretary of the Senate on or before the first day scheduled for the House of Representatives to convene for the fall veto session in 2000, and the Task Force shall submit copies of the report to the United States House of Representatives, the United States Senate Agriculture Committees, and the United States Attorney General; and that upon submitting its report the Task Force is dissolved; and be it further

RESOLVED, That copies of this resolution be sent to the Governor, the Attorney General, and the Director of Agriculture.

Adopted by the House, February 24, 2000.

ANTHONY D. ROSSI, Clerk of the House

The foregoing message from the House of Representatives, reporting **House Joint Resolution No. 47**, was referred to the Committee on Rules.

A message from the House by

Mr. Rossi, Clerk:

Mr. President -- I am directed to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has concurred with the Senate in the adoption of the following joint resolution, to-wit:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 59

Concurred in by the House, February 25, 2000.

ANTHONY D. ROSSI, Clerk of the House

At the hour of 12:00 o'clock noon, on motion of Senator Watson, and pursuant to **Senate Joint Resolution No. 59**, the Senate stood adjourned until Tuesday, February 29, 2000 at 12:00 o'clock noon.

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